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PROGRAM SEARCHING  
Group Art Unit : 2611  
Examiner : Robert T. Pham  
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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

Applicants hereby respond to the Examiner's Action dated July 1, 2002, which did not address the merits of the above-identified patent application, but required restriction.

REMARKS

Summary of Examiner's Action

Claims 1-177 are pending in this application.

The Examiner has determined that there allegedly are two inventions in this application, and has required restriction of the application to one of those inventions. The Examiner has required applicants to elect one of those inventions for initial substantive prosecution.